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No 96-23 (1-9)

1925.

File No. 95-25

Previous References
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Later references.
No 71-27-5

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Eighteen

Part B for April 1926.

SUBJECT

Abolition of certain Bench Magistrate's Courts in places where special Magistrates Courts are also located with effect from 1st April 1926

Govt. of B. 115-82-92 & 21-3-26

Home Regr & Ch Court
Dirs of Int
& of Police
Rev Comr.

Directs abolition of certain Bench Courts with effect from 1st April 1926

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FORM I. WD 1908—GPB—1.000—12-4-24

Memorandum of Subjects proposed for discussion in the Birthday
Session of the Representative Assembly of the Hassan District.
For the Birthday Session of June 1925.

No.(7)

Subject
Abolition of Bench Courts.

Summary of Representation.

In places where both the Bench and the Special Courts exist and where there is not sufficient crimina. work for either, the Bench Court may be aboli

Name of Member proposing
Messrs. Malali Vekataramaiya,
B. Basave Gowda, and
D. Basave Gowda
Messrs. Maralusiddappa and
Rudrappa. ~~Ambikere~~.

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Previous references relating to the subject.

Remarks by the Deputy Commissioner.

This cannot be done.

If any Bench Court is found to have no work continuously for a year or two, steps may be taken to abolish them.

28/7/25

LOCAL AND LEGISLATIVE SECRETARIAT
III
26 AUG 1925
PROTECTION BRANCH

REPLY
(To be written on this margin.)

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OFFICE OF THE FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

NOTE

Dated....25th August.....1925.

At the last session of the Representative Assembly, a representation was made by Mr. Malali Venkataramaiya about the abolition of the Bench Court at Saklespur. I remember having promised on behalf of Government, to consider the question of the abolition of the Bench Courts in places like Saklespur where the Special Magistrates' Courts have not got much work themselves. I should like to know whether action has been taken in this respect. If not, action may be taken at once, calling for information regarding the number of cases filed in each of the Special Magistrates' Courts as well as in the Bench Courts in each of the places and inviting the opinion of the District Magistrates about the Bench Courts of these places and having the work of these courts also tacked on to the Special Magistrates' Courts. The draft circular may be submitted for my approval.

Local & Legis. Secy.,)
with compliments.)

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Sent with a typed despatch

(3 Secs) (2 Asst)

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to the Dist. Magistrates except Chittal dtd

No. P 1085-9 dt. 2-9-25.

Requests to favour Govt. with their opinion in the matter of the abolition of Bench courts in places where the Special Magistrate's courts are also located and the Special Magistrate courts have not enough work. and also to submit a statement of cases received, disposed of and pending every month during 1924-25 in each of their courts.

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Serial No.

1/ From
Regd - Mangalore
Letter no 4269 dt 16-9-25.
Forwards statements showing the file of the Bench court and Special magistrates' court at Mangalore and Cheriyet and states that the Bench courts can not be abolished for reasons given
7) Reports from other Ds may be awaited
8) yes can wait
2/12/25

2/ From
Regd Hassan
Letter no J1-118-25 dt 24-9-25
States that the Bench court at Hassan may continue and the Bench courts at Sakleshpur and Belur may be abolished as the special magistrates in these two places have very little work
9) Reports from other Ds may be awaited
10) yes can wait
7/10/25
From 7/10

3/ From Regd Kolar. Letter no JC 98 dt 8-10-25
Recommends that the Bench courts at Kolar Bowringpet and Chickballapur may be abolished
11) Pending receipt of reports from other Ds may be awaited
12) yes. Can wait 13/10
12/10/25
From 13/10

14/10

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Serial No

From.

The Hon Tuticorin.

Letter no fc 2.3.5 dt. 8-10-25

States that statistics from Tiphers have not been received and a reply will be sent by the 15th instant:—

13) Sent for perusal. The receipt of reply may be awaited — Yes Cur 14/10

Sd 14/10/25 — Asst 14/10

14)

15 15/10

5 From

The Hon. Tinnevelly. Letter no fc 1.4.7 dt. 17.10.25

States that the Bench courts at Tinnevelly may be continued and the Bench courts at Sayar and Srivaikuntam may be abolished for reasons given.

15) Reports from Mysore, Tuticorin and Kadur are yet due. Sent with a draft Rr. The Hon Hassan has not forwarded the statements. A draft is also sent

Sd 20/10/25 Asst 21/10

16) Issue Cur 21/10

6 From

The Hon Hassan. Letter no 203-25 dt. 24.10.25

Forwards the statements showing statistics of the Special magistrates courts and Bench courts

17) Replies from Hon Rs. Mysore and Tuticorin are yet due for which Arr. has been issued on 23/10/25

The receipt of replies may be awaited — Yes.

18) Cur 30/10

Sd 29/10/25 Asst.

Serial No

7 From

The D.M. Kadur letter no fc 30 dt 28-10-25 states that the Bench court at Tarikere may be abolished and forwards statements showing the file of the special magistrates' courts and Bench courts at Kadur Chikmagalur and Tarikere

19) Replies from Mysore and Tumkur are yet due. The receipt of replies may be awaited for a week more and then reminders issued if necessary. Submit 20) Yes. Cas 30/10

Cus A

30/10/25
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8 From

The D.M. Mysore

Letter no D2 dis 279 dt 9.11.25

Recommends that the Bench courts at Mandya Periyapatna Hunsur may be abolished and forwards a statement showing the file of the Bench courts and Spl. magistrates courts where both of them are located with the remarks

21) Reply from Tumkur has not yet been received. Submit as at 22 Issue

Cus A.

18/11

11/11/25 Reminder issued vide 2479 dt 16/11/25 Cus 17/11

From

9 The D.M. Tumkur. Letter no 235 dt 18-11-1925

Forwards the statistics of special magistrates' courts and certain Bench courts and states that the Bench courts in the Dt are doing good work and that they may be continued.

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Information has been received from all the Dts except Chitaldrug where the separation scheme was not introduced when the information was called for. Of the other Dts, the Deputy Comrs of Tumkur and Bangalore are not in favour of abolishing the Bench courts in places where Special magistrates' Courts are located. The Deputy Comr Kolar is agreeable to abolition of Bench Courts in places where Special magistrates' courts are located. The Deputy Comrs of Hassan, Kadur & Shimoga are agreeable to the abolition of all the other Bench Courts in the Dt except the Bench court at Dt Head quarters. The Dy Comrs report is for the abolition of 3 Bench courts only, viz, at Tarikere, Honnali and Mandya. A statement showing the courts that are recommended to be abolished is put up and with reference to paragraph (1) above

24 Recommendations of the Dist Magistrates as regards abolition of Bench Courts are contained in flag R. If any further report from the Chitaldroog Distt will also be called for.

(Ch Secy)

25) Yes 24/11

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26) Put with abstract 27) Issue

1/12/25 1/12

* He has recommended the abolition of the Bench Court at Bangalore, where no Spl Magts Courts located

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Note dtd 28.2.25 from Chief Secy.

Requests to favour Govt with his opinion together with a statement in the abolition of Stamp certain Benches Courts in his dist.

Draft 9/IV

28) As recommended by the Dist Magistrate, the Bench courts of the Honorary Magistrates, the special Magistrates and the Village Munsiffs work may be limited to the areas (as suspended) remaining until further order

(1) Honnavar Dt (1) Honnavar
(2) Sirsi
(2) Kasaragod Dt (1) Kasaragod
(2) Cheruvathur
(3) Limits of the Bench courts of Honnavar may continue as now the Magistrate court will have to deal.
(3) Shimoga Dt (1) Sagar
(2) Thirthahalli
(4) Kadur Dt (1) Tarikere
(5) Tiptur (1) Nanjangud
(2) Periyapatna
(3) Hunsur
(6) Tumkur (1) Madhugiri
(2) Tiptur
(3) Limits agreed with DM from the Bench courts within these Districts may be continued. There is no need for them as the Special Magistrates have now been withdrawn

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29) A draft letter to the Chief Commissioner, requesting him to forward the opinion of the Judicial Commissioner of Sind in the above proposal, and for the reasons stated therein, and also to send for their formal return the report received from the D.O. with the Collector's covering letter of the 8th in the place thereof in the Bombay Government proposals to abolish

dy 28/12

cag 28/12

Mr Crump discussed proposal with Regr. Chief Court 28/12

30) Draft letter adopt

L+L Secy 4/1/26

cag 4.1

Sd 4/1 per number

Sd 07/1

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31) Apps

dy 6/1

cag 5/1

Sd 7.1 32) Issue cag 7.1

11 To the Regr Chief Court

No P. 3394 dy 9-1-26

Forwards the correspondence received from the General Dept. in the matter of the abolition of certain Benches Courts where there are Special Magistrates Courts also and requests to forward the opinion of the Chief Court in the matter

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Cutting from the Wealth of Mysore dated 12th Jan. 1926

Chickmagalore Note.

33) New Bench has been formed from the 1st instant. The Colleagues of the Chairman find it difficult to attend the Court, regularly. There is a Special Magistrate's Court in this place and it is reported that there is not enough work for the Supcial Magistrate. If this is a fact, why not abolish the Bench Court at Chickmagalore ?

34) To Chickmagalore and the Bench courts proposed to be abolished.

35) This may be submitted with the relevant file of the Case

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Case 14/1

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Submitted

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36) This is not one of the Courts proposed to be abolished. The Dist. Mag. suggested the abolition of the Bench Court at Tarikere only. File is also submitted.

13/1/26 (1st Member)

Case 14/1

37) The Chickmagalore papers may be sent to Sri Kadur to whom the Inspection of the Courts for Inspection is entrusted. Such action as may be considered necessary in connection with 323

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16/1 Case 16.1

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38)	Intd with adopt 39) Issue cy 28/1
	28/1/26
12	To the Regr Chief Court No. P. 35738 dy 20.1.26. Forwards for taking such action as the Chief Court may consider suitable in consultation with the Dewan Extract from the Gazette of Mysore dy 12-1-26 suggesting the abolition of the Bench Court at Chickmagalore
13	From The Dy. Mysore. Letter no C 1090 dy 21.1.26. Forwards a copy of Chief Court docket dy 13-1-26 enquiring whether the Bench Court at Hassan may not be abolished and its work added on to the Special magistrate's court as requests early orders in the matter. The Chief Court opinion has been called for. The receipt of their opinion may meanwhile be awaited if approved — ys. 41) cy 26.1
	25/1/26

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14 From

The Registrar Chief Court

Letter no Rec 837 dy 26.2.26

States that the Chief Court have no objection to the Bench courts in question being abolished and their work done by stipendiary magistrates and that as regards the abolition of the Bench Court at Chittagong, a further reference will be made after the inspection by the Chief Judge of the Special First class magistrate's courts which Magistrate early next month

42) The opinion of the D.M. Chittagong as regards the abolition of the Bench courts at Chittagong and Dewangore where there are Special magistrate's courts has not yet been received. The question of the abolition of the Bench court at Chittagong may perhaps be taken up after the receipt of the promised report from the Chief Court by which time the opinion of the Dist. Chittagong also might be received ~~from with a draft Notification abolishing the Bench Courts and~~ R.T. to the Dist. Chittagong in ~~Bengal~~. (Reference paragraph 2 & above)

9/3/26

43) The draft sent to Dist. Chittagong may be

yp approved. After its issue, the file will be sent

44) forwarded to the abolition of the Court agreed to by the Chief Court. 45 yp. cs

ASP yp Dated 4/64 dy 8/3/26. yp

46) Please see draft sent & Reminder 9/3

ISSUE & RESUBMIT.

Rec after issue of Reminder 47) Result. Reference para 45 & 29

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6/3/26 ASP yp

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48) Reference to para 29.

49) Submitted for perusal of the opinion of the Chief Court. The Registrar says that the ~~Circuit~~ Bench Courts proposed selected may be abolished.

50) The Chief Legal Adviser to the Court at Chittagong in the Registrar invites the opinion of the Govt. Pleader in his letter dated 28.10.1925 (Pl.S). The Govt. Pleader was of opinion that the B. Courts at Chittagong may not be abolished. The Registrar does not agree with him and says that a further opinion of the Chief Court must be sent after the Courts at Chittagong are inspected by the Chief Judge early in April.

51) This is a point for consideration as to whether a notification abolishing or suspending the Courts in para 28 may be issued now or the opinions of the Chief Judge & of the Govt. Pleader awaited.

(Sd) [illegible]
1st Mar.

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52) Draft ~~order~~ Sanctioning the abolition of the Bench Courts at Chittagong for reasons given & withdrawing the power of the Bench Magistrates to pass up for consideration

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From

Dep. m. Chitaldrug

Letter no 12 A/25-26 § 9.3.26.

States that there is no objection to the abolition of the Bench courts at Chitaldrug and Davanagere in case all the special magistrate's courts are continued but that he is of opinion that only 2 special magistrates' courts are quite sufficient for the D^t and that if the recommendation with regard to the chief court is approved then the Bench courts would have to be continued and that the whole question may be considered after the courts have worked for one year at least.

Answd

53) Under the circumstances the question of the abolition of the Bench courts at Davanagere and Chitaldrug may be deferred.

Answd with 2 drafts for orders

B/
11/3/26

54) Answd with 2 typed drafts as revised

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12/3/26 55) Drafts submd for consideration whether issue of the G.O. dated "

the reference of the D^t magistrate Chitaldrug (Chitaldrug) is desirable considered —

The Secy
12th Mch.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE
RECD. ON 16. MAR. 1926
Reg. No. 6740

Serial No.

56/ Draft appr

57/ This may be submitted for Dewan's approval.

58/ As this is a question of policy the action proposed to be taken may be reported for the information of the Dewan's approval / ~~illegible~~

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Dewan.

59/ Cannot the Chulliyapalam case be decided as the issue was. I see Chulliyam Narayanan case omitted

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(Member)

5-18/17-3

60/ Chockanathan has been arrested in the drug case. as there is only a first class Magistrate there & no second class Magistrate. and the DD whom I personally consulted informed me that besides he will be busy with work, the transfer of the Bench Magistrate's Court here will result in petty cases going to Mundakayam where the accused being

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... 'S OFFICE
18. MAR. 1926
Reg. No. 6814

ISSUE & RESUBMIT

61) With regard to the appeal of the Sentences of the Benches which are appealable

With regard to the outstanding Devanagere cases, as these cases were postponed on many occasions, it was considered desirable to wait for some time before the Bench Courts in these places are abolished.

J.C. (17)

Dewan. 62) Submitted with reference to ... 15/3

63) May issue 17/3 18/3

23.3 23.3

64) Issued accordingly 23/3

15. To The Dt Magte Hassan
The Dc magtes of other Dts.
The Registrar Chief Courts
The Supdt of Police
The Revenue Commr

1ROP 4582-92 D 24.3.26.

Directs the abolition of the Bench Courts at H. Narasipura, Sakleshpur, Kolar, Chickballapur, Tarikere, Maddur, H. Rokkas, Hunsur, Maddagiri, Tiptur, Sagar & Tirthahalli with effect from 1st April 1926.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

15 File No. 95 of 1925-26

Serial No. 76

To The Compiler Mysore Gazette.
ROP 4594 D 24.3.26.
Notifies the abolition of the Certain Benchcourts and the withdrawal of the Magisterial powers conferred on the Bench Magtes.

From

The Regr Hkly Court. Letter D1 Dis 229 D 18-3-26
States that the Special First grade Magistrate Chikmagalur could quite easily dispose of all the work at present done by the Bench magistrates Chikmagalur as he is a first class magistrate all appeals from his disposals of cases tried by 2nd and 3rd class magistrates would lie only to the Sessions Judge Hassan which would be subjecting appellants to too great inconvenience and trouble and that therefore the Bench court at Chikmagalur need not be abolished.

65) Subd for perusal. No action is perhaps necessary in regard to the Bench courts at Chitaldrug and Davanagere in view of I members minute D 17.3.26 (para 66)
Result. with reference to para 64 above

26/3/26 66) No action is necy. may be filed after perusal.
Hrs 27/3

The Regr
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67) Extract from L. Asstt's query dt 29-3-26

(a) Powers are to be withdrawn from the Bench magistrates - where the courts are abolished

(b) About whether clerks appointed — what to do with them ?

Sd

68) Powers have already been withdrawn vide flag A to rgnds 2(b), in no court that has been abolished there is a full time clerk except in Bench courts. The term of the clerk continues as long as the Bench court continues. Vide pro-no P303-5/CBS 25-23-3 23-7-24 (flag Y)

B 30/3/26

69) (a) Notification withdrawing the powers was issued

(b) Under the orders re: Y the period of the Court clerk at the Bench Magistrates' Court will terminate with the Abolition of the Bench Court.

Th Reg) 30/3

~~If it may be sent to expert~~

To Secn 7/4

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Sd

) May the file be recalled now.

A reply

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7.2) A reply is perhaps due to the D.M. Chitaldrug this letter no 1144 of 9.3.26. Reference is invited to paras 55 761 supra

APM 9/4

73) Yes. Put up a draft

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55 19/4

74) Submitted with a draft. Reference to para 61

12/4/26 APM 14/4

The D.M. may be replied to as draft submitted for approval

Lt Col 10/4/26

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Bruce 15/4

20. To the Dt Magte Chitaldrug

No. P. 5325 dt 16.4.25

Requests to submit his opinion in the matter at the end of Dec next

B. this 15/4 19/4

Jud 5-25-1

To

The District Magistrates of

Districts except Chitaldrug

Sir,

I am directed to state that a representation was made in the last Session of the R.A. about the abolition of the Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates courts are also located and such special magistrates courts have not enough work, I am to ~~request you to kindly enquire whether in such places the Bench Courts cannot be abolished, their work tacked on to the Special Magistrate's courts. Statistics may also be furnished shewing the cases filed in the Bench Courts and the Special magistrates courts located in the same place in your district.~~ A statement showing the no of cases of receipt & disposal of & pending cases in the Bench court in your D as well as in the Special magistrates court in the same place may be furnished every month in each Taluk by the Special Magistrate for the year 24-25 & forwarded with your report.

I have etc.,

Secy. to Govt. L&L. Depts.

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In all future correspondence please quote No. 426 of 1925/26

Encl. 4 Statements

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Dated Bangalore, the 14th September 1925.

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FROM

B. VENKOBA RAO, ESQ., B.A.,
~~*Deputy Commissioner,*~~ District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

& REV. SECTT.
17 SEP. 1925
G. D. SECTION

To

R. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-law.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Local and Legislative Depts,
Bangalore.

SIR,

In reply to your letter No.P.1353-9/Cts.dated 2nd September 1925 regarding the representation made in the last session of Representative Assembly about the abolition of Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates Courts are also located and calling for my opinion with statistics, I have the honor to state that the Bench Court located in Bangalore City is a heavy court and both the Bench Court and the City Magistrate's Court have heavy work and the abolition of the Bench Court in the City is not desirable. Besides I have also made proposals through the Chief Court for the location of another Bench court in the Bangalore City and the orders of Government are awaited. Two statements showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month in both the courts are herein enclosed.

2. As regards the Bench Court located at Closepet, I beg to submit herewith two similar statements furnishing the required information. It will be seen therefrom, that 245 cases were filed in the Special Court and 75 cases in the Bench Court. The work in both the courts is sufficiently heavy and the abolition of the Bench Court there will not be advantageous. The Bench Court at Closepet was recently made permanent by Government.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Venkoba Rao

District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

Statement showing the no. of cases received, disposed of and pending every month in the Bench of Magistrates Court Bangalore during the year 1924-25.

Months	Balance at the Commencement of the month	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of during the months	Pending at the end of the month	Remarks.
July 24	282	181	463	133	330	
Aug 24	330	196	526	126	400	
Sept 24	400	259	659	155	504	
Oct. 24	504	148	652	220	432	
Nov 24	432	347	779	163	616	
Dec 24	616	163	779	248	531	
Jany 25	531	165	696	129	567	
Felz 25	567	152	719	99	620	
March 25	620	187	807	452	355	
April 25	355	154	509	333	176	
May 25	176	171	347	95	252	
June 25	252	93	345	131	214	

Bangalore City.
9th September 1925

H. Nanjunda Setty
Chairman
Bench of Magistrates' Courts
Bangalore City

Pro Vice Chairman
for District Magistrate
Bangalore District

Statement showing the no of cases received, disposed of and pending every months in the court of the Special 2nd grade magistrate, Closepet for the year 1924-25.

Months.	no of cases pending at the beginning of the months 1	no of cases newly instituted 2	total of 1+2 3	no disposed of 4	no pending at the close of the months 5	Remarks. 6
~~January 1924~~						
July 1924	39	13	52	25	27	
August 1924	27	11	38	19	19	
September 1924	19	16	35	9	26	In addition to the Regular cases, ten Miscellaneous cases were instituted and disposed of during the year 1924-1925
October 1924	26	16	42	11	31	
November 1924	31	25	56	9	47	
December 1924	47	17	64	19	45	
January 1925	45	21	66	5	61	
February 1925	61	23	84	33	51	
March 1925	51	23	74	35	39	
April 1925	39	30	69	29	40	
May 1925	40	19	59	25	34	
June 1925	34	33	67	~~21~~ 21	46	
Total		247		240		

N.B. Pending from 23-24 = 39 cases
Newly instituted during 24-25 = 247 cases
Total = 286 cases
Total no disposed of during 24-25 = 240.
Pendings 46 cases

Above mentioned allow

Special 1st-class Magistrate Closepet

For District Magistrate Bangalore Dt. &

Statement Showing the numbers of Cases received, disposed and pending in every month in the Court of the Bench of Magistrates Cosepet during the year 1926-1925.

Name of the month	No. of Cases pending at the beginning of the month	No. of Cases received during the month	Total no. for disposal	No. of Cases disposed of during the month	No. of Cases transferred to some other Courts	No. of Cases pending at the end of the month	Remarks.
July 1926	3	2	5	2		3	
August 1926	3	5	8	1	2	5	
September 1926	5	7	12	8		4	
October 1926	4	4	8	5		3	
November 1926	3	4	7	3		4	

December 1926	4	9	13	4	-	9
January 1925	9	5	14	3	1	10
February 1925	10	13	23	6	1	16
March 1925	16	6	22	14	-	8
April 1925	8	2	10	4	1	5
May 1925	5	6	11	6	-	5
[illegible] 1925	5	12	17	4	2	11

Total no. of Cases Received during the year 75 + old Cases 3 - 8 Cases Disposed of disposal.

for District Magistrate
Bangalore District

9/9/25.

H. Lucas
Chairman

Statement showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month in the City Magistrate's Court, Bangalore during the Year 1924-25 (for ref as called for in the Dr Manthly No 426 dtd 8-9-25

Sl No	Months	Regular					Miscellaneous					Appeals					Total					Remarks
		Pending	Received	Total	Disposed of	Balance	Pending	Received	Total	Disposed of	Balance	Pending	Received	Total	Disposed of	Balance	Pending	Received	Total	Disposed of	Balance	
1	July 1924	96	65	161	54	107	9	15	24	18	6	3	0	3	1	2	108	80	188	73	115	
2	August	107	56	163	52	111	6	3	9	4	5	2	0	2	1	1	115	59	174	57	117	
3	September	111	57	168	61	107	5	11	16	7	9	1	0	1	1	1	117	68	185	68	117	
4	October	107	45	152	55	97	9	10	19	10	9	1	0	1	1	0	117	55	172	66	106	
5	November	97	24	121	20	101	9	13	22	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	106	37	143	31	112	
6	December	101	43	144	50	94	11	5	16	7	9	-	-	-	-	-	112	48	160	57	103	
7	January 25	94	34	128	25	103	9	10	19	9	10	-	-	-	-	-	103	44	147	34	113	
8	February	103	92	195	121	74	10	8	18	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	113	100	213	130	83	
9	March	74	45	119	38	81	9	7	16	5	11	-	-	-	-	-	83	52	135	43	92	
10	April	81	43	124	43	81	11	7	18	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	92	50	142	52	90	
11	May	81	35	116	30	86	9	10	19	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	90	45	135	41	94	
12	June	86	32	118	35	83	8	8	16	7	9	-	-	-	-	-	94	40	134	42	92	
	Total	96	571	667	584	83	9	107	116	107	9	3	0	3	1	0	108	678	786	694	92	

Dated Bangalore
9th September 1925

for District Magistrate
Bangalore Dt.

City Magistrate,
BANGALORE

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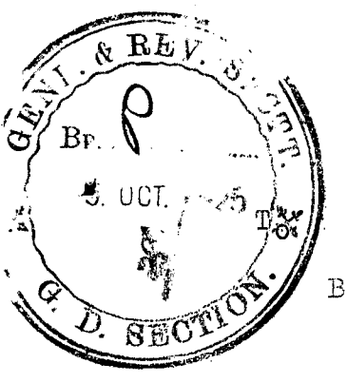
No. 91-118-25

Office of the District Magistrate,
Hassan District,
Dated Hassan, the 24th September 1925.

From

R. M. Nanasamy Rao, Esquire. A295-25-3
District Magistrate,
Hassan District.



B. Nagappa, Esquire., Bar.-at-Law.,
Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative Departments,
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No. P.1353-9 Cts. dated the 2nd instant calling for my opinion in the matter of the abolition of the Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates' Courts are also located, I have the honor to state that the Bench Court at Hassan has to continue as the ~~Special~~ First Class Magistrate Hassan has enough work in his Court and the Bench Court also has work.

As regards the Bench Courts at Saklespur and Hole Narsipur, they may as well, I think, be abolished as the Special Magistrates in those stations have very light work.

Statements showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month received from the aforesaid Special Magistrates and the Bench Courts are, as required, forwarded herewith.

Read later with Sl.no.6

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For District Magistrate,
Hassan District.

PVG.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KOLAR DISTRICT.

Dated Kolar, the 7-10- *1925.*

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S. HIRIANNAIYA, ESQ., M.A., B.L.,
and District Magistrate,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, KOLAR DISTRICT.

B. NAGAPPA, ESQ., BAR-AT-LAW.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Local and Legislative *Department,*
BANGALORE.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.P.1353-9/Cts dated 2-9-25, - regarding the abolition of the Bench Courts in places where the - - Special Magistrates courts are also located, I have the honour to forward, herewith, 7 statements, furnishing the required statistical information.

I am finding it very difficult to find suitable and willing men t act as Magistrates in many places uncluding Kolar Town. It will be - seen from the statistical statements accompanying that none of the - special Magistrate's courts have enough work and the abolition of the Bench Courts in Kolar, Bowringpet and Chickballapur, will not add - materially to their work. I therefore fully support the proposed for abolition of the Bench Courts in the above places.

Bowringpet has no Spl Magis court, but only a Bench Court

I have the honour to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

C Ramachandra Rao

Treasury Assistant Commissioner
For District Magistrate,
Kolar District,
(Absent from Station).

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Statement of cases Received disposed and pending in the several months of the year 24-25 in the Spl magts Court Rly L

S.No	Names of the Month	No pending at the beginning of the month	No received during the month	Total	No. disposed of	pending	Remarks.
1	July 1924	54	79	133	72	61	
2	August "	61	72	133	82	51	
3	September "	51	132	183	100	83	
4	October "	83	71	154	105	49	
5	November "	49	82	131	99	32	
6	December "	32	92	124	82	42	
7	January 25	42	88	130	90	40	
8	February "	40	70	110	68	42	
9	March "	42	95	137	107	30	
10	April "	30	84	114	71	43	
11	May "	43	104	147	98	49	
12	June "	49	72	121	100	21	
Total for 24-25		54	1041	1095	1074	21	

includes appeals and miscellaneous cases also.

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For Dist Magte

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Statement showing the no. of cases filed, disposed etc during the several months of the year 24-25 in the court of the Spl. First Class Magistrate, Kolar

Sl No.	Name of month	No pending at the beginning of the month	No received	Total	No. disposed	No pending	Remarks.
1	July 1924	83	20	103	21	82	including appeals and miscellaneous cases.
2	August "	82	31	113	18	95	
3	September "	95	36	131	33	98	
4	October "	98	17	115	3	112	
5	November "	112	21	133	10	123	
6	December "	123	15	138	41	97	
7	January 25 "	97	10	107	33	74	
8	February "	74	3	77	29	48	
9	March "	48	16	64	27	37	
10	April "	37	9	46	10	36	
11	May "	36	11	47	18	29	
12	June "	29	11	40	11	29	
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Total for the year last		83	200	283	254	29	

Manasamudra
for Distt Magistrate,
Kolar

The District Magistrate, Chittagong

July 1924	88	39	127	33	94	
August "	94	29	123	40	83	
September "	83	29	112	32	80	
October "	80	43	123	29	94	
November "	94	35	129	38	91	
December "	91	16	107	22	85	
January 1925	85	20	105	36	69	
February "	69	7	76	28	48	
March "	48	23	71	33	38	
April "	38	12	50	22	28	
May "	28	28	56	27	29	
June "	29	30	59	34	25	
Total for 24-25	88	311	399	374	25	

Includes Murderous Case.

Chittagong
The 1st July 1925

Assistant Magistrate
for District Magistrate,

Statement of cases boiled and disposed of therein during the year 1924-25 in the Special 2nd class Magistrate's court Malda

Sl. No.	Name of the months	No. pending at the beginning of the month	No. instituted during the month	Total	No. disposed of	Pending	Remarks
1	July 24	52	15	67	24	43	
2	August "	43	11	54	20	34	
3	September "	34	19	53	24	29	
4	October "	29	20	49	17	32	
5	November "	32	21	53	21	32	
6	December "	32	18	50	20	30	
7	January 25	30	15	45	23	22	
8	February "	22	9	31	13	18	
9	March "	18	29	47	22	25	
10	April "	25	11	36	12	24	
11	May "	24	27	51	26	25	
12	June "	25	8	33	15	18	
Total for 24-25		52	203	255	237	18	

includes five cancerous cases.

Chamarkundra
for Distt. Magistrate,
Malda

Statement of cases filed and disposed of during the year 1924-25 in the Court of the Bench Court, Kolar

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Sl No	Month	No. Pending at beginning	No. received	Total	No. disposed	Pending	Remarks
1	July 1924	"	8	8	6	2	includes two reference cases
2	August "	2	7	9	3	6	
3	September "	6	8	14	8	6	
4	October "	6	11	17	2	15	
5	November "	15	2	17	5	12	
6	December "	12	3	15	11	4	
7	January 25	4	6	10	2	8	
8	February "	8	8	16	5	11	
9	March "	11	3	14	4	10	
10	April "	10	"	10	"	10	
11	May "	10	"	10	"	10	
12	June "	10	4	14	3	11	
Total for 24-25		"	60	60	49	11	

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for Dist. Magte
Kolar

Statement of cases received, disposed of etc. during the year 1924-25 in the ~~Sub Court Class II Additional Court~~ Court Prevention of Animals of Chittalapur, Kolar District

S. No.	Name of the month.	No. pending at the beginning of the month.	No. received during the month.	Total.	No. disposed of.	Pending.	Remarks.
1	July 1924	4	7	11	4	7	
2	August 1924	7	2	9	3	6	
3	September	6	3 ~~8~~	~~14~~ 9	5 ~~8~~	~~6~~ 4	
4	October	4	3	7	6	1	
5	November	1	13	14	3	11	
6	December	11	6	17	12	5	
7	January 25	5	6	11	3	8	
8	February 25	8	5	13	2	11	
9	March	11	9	20	8	12	
10	April	12	6	18	5	13	
11	May	13	5	18	1	17	
12	June	17	4	21	5	16	
Total for 24-25.		4	69	73	57	16	

Increased with relevant papers.

C Ramachandra
for Dist Magte
Kolar

Bench Court Browning Ref 15

	Months	Pending	Received	Total	Disposed	Pending	Remarks
1	July 24.	2	"	2	2	"	
2	August 24	"	1	1	1	"	
3	September "	"	5	5	2	3.	
4	October "	3	"	3	"	3.	
5	November.	3	6	9	4	5	
6	December "	5	4	9	2	7	
7	January 25	7	"	7	5	2	
8	February 25	2	"	2	"	2	
9	March 25	2	6	8	3	5	
10	April 25	5	3	8	2	6	
11	May "	6	"	6	"	6	
12	June "	6	"	6	"	6.	
	Total for 24-25	2	25	27	21	6.	

Including Miscellaneous.

Chamarthi Venkata Subbaiah
Sessions Judge
Rajahmundry

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.
SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

No J.C.147/25-26.
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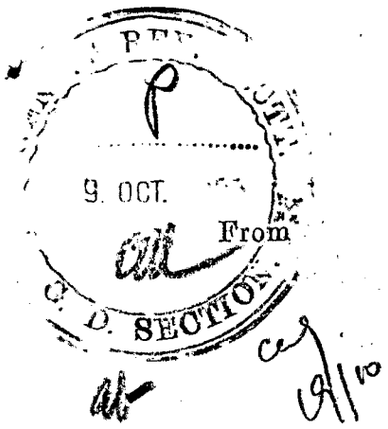
Shimoga, Dated the 17th October ..... *192* 5.



From

A. K. Syed Taj Peeran, Esquire, B. A.,
Deputy Commissioner, & District Magistrate,
Shimoga District.

To

B. Nagappa, Esquire, Bar-at-Law,
Secretary to Government, Local &
Legislative Departments, B A N G A L O R E

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.P.1353-9 Cts.dated 2nd September 1925, calling for opinion in the matter of the abolition of the Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates' Courts are also located and which have not enough work etc., I have the honour to forward herewith a statement showing the number of Criminal cases received, disposed of and pending every month during the year 1924-25 in each of the Special Courts as well as the Bench Courts situated in the same places as called for in the above and to state that it will be seen that the work in both the Special Courts at Shimoga, as well as in the Bench Court is heavy. The latter Court being a permanent institution, it may continue as hereto-fore.
(vide G.O.No. J 4814-25 Cts 190-17-10/8. 25-5-1918)

2. The file of the Special 2nd Class Magistrate, Sagar appears to be very light and ~~that~~ the number of institutions in the Bench Court at Sagar is also very small. The Court may, therefore, be abolished and the jurisdiction for the trial of all ~~xhix~~ third class cases arising in the Sagar Taluk be transferred to

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to the Special 2nd Class Magistrate, Sagar.

3. In this connection, I may add that the Bench Courts in the Moffusils, as a whole, are not working satisfactorily, owing to the paucity of competent and willing honorary workers. The Court at Tirthahalli may at once be abolished and the Special 2nd Class Magistrate who holds his Court at Tirthahalli once a fortnight, may be asked to try all 3rd class cases arising in that Taluk. The Honorary Magistrates have threatened to resign, a month hence, if facilities such as, renting another building, providing a wholetime servant, are not sanctioned. This is the 2nd time that the Magistrates have done so. The provision in the Budget for renting a house for holding the Bench Court was not sanctioned. Further, the Courts at Sorab and Shikarpur may also be abolished in case the proposal submitted in this Office J.C.No.108/25-26 dated 9th September 25, for holding the itinerant Court of the Special 2nd Class Magistrate, Sagar, at Siralkoppa is sanctioned.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For District Magistrate,
Shimoga District.

S.P.E.

Statement showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month during the years 1924-25 in each of the Special Magistrates Courts as well as the Benet Court situated in those places in the Shimoga District:-

Month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of during the month	Pending at the end of the month
I	Special I Grade Magistrates Court, Shimoga:				
July 1924	104	12	116	15	101
August 1924	101	10	111	10	101
September 24	101	23	124	23	101
October 24	101	16	117	8	109
November 24	109	30	139	18	121
December 24	121	17	138	31	107
January 1925	107	23	130	23	107
February 25	107	28	135	15	120
March 25	120	11	131	9	122
April 25	122	19	141	7	134
May 25	134	16	150	28	122
June 25	122	25+9 = 34	156	15	141
II	Special II Grade Magistrate's Court, Shimoga.				
July 1924	84	21	105	22	83
August 1924	83	42	125	41	84
September 24	84	25	109	40	69
October 24	69	21	90	15	75

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November 1924	45	13	58	23	35
December 24	35	12	47	15	32
January 1925	32	22	54	23	31
February 25	31	10	41	6	35
March 25	35	22	57	16	41
April 25	41	15	56	15	41
May 25	41	20	61	29	32
June 25	32	19	51	30	21
V	Honorary Bench Magistrates Court, Sagar				
July 1924	3	2	5	1	4
August 24	4	2	6	3	3
September 24	3	3	6	1	5
October 24	5	1	6	—	6
November 24	6	1	7	1	6
December 24	6	5	11	3	8
January 25	8	3	11	—	11
February 25	11	4	15	—	15
March 25	15	—	15	2	13
April 25	13	9	22	2	20
May 25	20	4	24	6	18
June 25	18	2	20	1	19

Dy 17th October 1925
Shimoga

Hon District Magistrate
by Shimoga Dist

November 1924	75	29	104	20	84
December 24	84	20	104	26	78
January 1925	78	33	111	27	84
February 25	84	37	121	31	90
March 25	90	22	112	38	74
April 25	74	19	93	23	70
May 25	70	28	98	43	55
June 25	55	26	81	30	51
III	Honorary Bench Magistrates Court, Shimoga.				
July 1924	2	22	24	1	23
August 1924	23	3	26	3	23
September 24	23	20	43	19	24
October 24	24	9	33	9	24
November 24	24	20	44	20	24
December 24	24	9	33	8	25
January 1925	25	9	34	7	27
February 25	27	20	47	4	43
March 25	43	17	60	6	54
April 25	54	21	75	13	62
May 25	62	41	103	28	75
June 25	75	15	90	23	67
IV	Special II Class Magistrates Court, Sagar				
July 1924	27	13	40	15	25
August 24	25	32	57	21	36
September 24	36	16	52	18	34
October 24	34	19	53	8	45

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SUBJECT Drafts

Section 24

File No. 95-25

Serial No.

No. 29115

To Messrs Hassan

Diary No. of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 28-10-25

Signed by for C. A. J Rae

Sir

With reference to your letter No. J 1-1-18-25 & 24-9-25 stating that statements showing the number of cases received disposed of etc in the Special Magistrates Courts and Revenue courts in your Dt have been forwarded, I am to state that the same have not been received here and to request that they may be forwarded early

I have &c

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Office of the District Magistrate,
Hassan District,
Dated Hassan, the 24th October 1925.

From

N. Sundararaja Iyengar, Esquire., B. A.,

District Magistrate (in charge),

Hassan District.

To

B. Nagappa, Esquire., Bar-at-Law.

Secretary to Government,

Local and Legislative Departments,

Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No. P. 2115/Cts 95-25 dated the 23rd instant stating that the statements showing the number of cases received, disposed of etc., in the Special Magistrate's Courts and Bench Courts have not accompanied this office letter No. J.1.-118-25 dated the 24th September 25, I have the honour to forward herewith the aforesaid statements and to state that the conduct of the clerk responsible for the omission in forwarding the enclosures has been noticed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Sundararaja 24/10

District Magistrate I/C,

Hassan District.

PVG.

Statement of Criminal Cases filed and disposed of during the year 1924-25
In the Court of the Special 1st Class Magistrate
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Serial No.	Month	No. pending at the beginning of each month	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of during the month	Pending
1	September 1924: Cri Cases	Nil	146	146	53 *	93
	Appeals	Nil	12	12	4	8
2	October 1924: Cri Cases	93	14	107	23	84
	Appeals	8	3	11	5	6
3	November 1924: Cri Cases	84	12	96	30	66
	Appeals	6	8	14	9	5
4	December 1924: Cri Cases	66	11	77	26	51
	Appeals	5	4	9	4	5
5	January 1925: Cri Cases	51	5	56	23	33
	Appeals	5	4	9	4	5
6	February 1925: Cri Cases	33	9	42	26	16

		Appeals	5	5	10	4	6
7	March 1925	Cri cases	22	15	37	14	23
		Mis. Cases	-	1	1	1	-
		Appeals	6	6	12	3	9
8	April 1925	Cri cases	26	4	30	17	13
		Mis. Cases	-	1	1	-	1
		Appeals	7	7	16	8	8
1	May 1925	Cri cases	13	19	32	13	19
		Mis. Cases	1	-	1	1	-
		Appeals	8	-	8	6	2
10	June 1925	Cri cases	19	14	36	15	21
		Appeals	2	8	10	2	8
		Appeals	-	57	57	49	8
		Cri cases	-	255	255	234	21
		Mis. cases	-	2	2	2	-

* includes transfers & Bench cases.

Special 1st class Magistrate
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Statement showing the number of ~~Case~~ Cases received, disposed of and pending during 24-25.
every month from 1-9-25.
Court of the Special 2nd Class Magistrate Taluka Sirur

Serial No.	Months	Pending at the beginning of the months	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of during the month	Pending at the close of the month	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
1	September 24	...	30	30	4	26	
2	October 1924	26	16	42	13	29	
3	November 1924	29	20	49	29	20	
4	December 1924	20	7	27	17	10	
5	January 1925	10	20	30	14	16	
6	February 1925	16	8	24	11	13	
7	March 1925	13	4	17	9	8	
8	April 1925	8	11	19	13	6	
9	May 1925	6	9	15	6	9	
10	June 1925	9	5	14	7	7	
	Total	—	130	130	123	7	

8/9/25

G. S. Anantharaman Rao
Special 2nd class magistrate
Taluka Sirur

Statement showing the number of Cases received disposed of and pending every month during 1924-25 from 1.9.25. In the Court of the special II class Magistrates Court, Holenarsipur

Regular Cases

No	Months.	Pending at the beginning of the month.	Received during the month.	Total.	Disposed of during the month.	Pending at the close of the month.
1.	September 1924.	45 (Recd. by transfer)	7	52	11	41
2.	October "	41	14	55	6	49.
3	November "	49	12	61	20	41.
4	December "	41	7	48	13	35
5	January 1925	35	16	51	11	40.
6.	February "	40	8	48	15	33.
7.	March 1925	33	10	43.	12	31.
8.	April "	31	10	41	14	27.
9	May "	27	7	34	7	27.
10.	June "	27	7	34	10	24.
	Total	45	98	143	119	24

W.G. Krishnaraja
Special Magistrate
Holenarsipur.

Statement showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month during 1924-25 from 1.9.25. In the Court of the Special II class Magistrate, Mohanarsipuram.

Miscellaneous cases.—

No.	Months	Pending at the beginning of the month.	Received during the month.	Total.	Disposed of during the month.	Pending at the close of the month.	Remarks.
1.	September 1924						
2.	October 1924.	-	2	2	1	1	
3.	November 1924.	1	6	7	6	1	
4	December 1924.	1	23	24	7	17	
5	January 1925	17	-	17	1	16	
6	February 1925.	16	-	16	1	15	
7.	March 1925	15	-	15	8	7.	
8	April 1925	7	2	9	7	2	
9	May 1925	2	2	4	2	2	
10	June 1925.	2	-	2	2	-	
	Total	—	35	35	35	—	

W.G. Narasimhaswamy
Special Magistrate
Mohanarsipuram.

Statement of criminal cases filed and disposed of before the Bench Magistrates Court Hassan during each month for the year 1924-25.

Sl. no.	Month.	Kind of case	No pending at the beginning of the Month.	No received during the month	Total	No disposed of	No pending at the end of the month	Remarks.
1	July 1924	Regular	2	3	5	2	3	
		Mis.	2	0	2	2	0	
2	August 24	Regular	3	3	6	5	1	
		Mis.	0	0	0	0	0	
3	September 24	Regular	1	41	42	3	39	
		Mis.	0	1	1	1	0	
4	October 24	Regular	39	8	47	11	36	
		Mis.	0	0	0	0	0	
5	November 24	Regular	36	8	44	20	24	
		Mis.	0	5	5	0	5	
6	December 24	Regular	24	11	35	13	22	
		Mis.	5	12	17	2	15	
7	January 25	Regular	22	12	34	12	22	
		Mis.	15	1	16	4	12	
8	February 25	Regular	22					

		Mis:	12	0	12	0	12
9	March 25	Regulars	11	17	28	3	25
		Mis:	12	0	12	0	12
10	April 25	Regulars	25	44	69	18	51
		Mis	12	0	12	0	12
11	May 25	Regulars	51	15	66	28	38
		Mis:	12	9	21	9	12
12	June 25	Regulars	38	3	41	17	24
		Mis	12	2	14	7	7
	Total	Regulars	2	174	176	152	24
		Mis	2	30	32	25	7
	Grand Total	~~~	4	204	208	177	31

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Statement showing the number of cases pending received and disposed of every month during the year 1924-25.

Beach Magistrates Court Hallenarasapur

Serial No	Month	pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Total	No disposed of during the month	pending at the end of the month
1	July 1924	2		2	1	2
2	August 1924	2	2	4	3	1
3	September 1924	1	1	2	1	1
4	October 24	1	2	3	2	1
5	November 24	1		1	1	—
6	December 24	—	3	3	—	3
7	January 25	3	1	4	—	4
8	February 25	4	2	6	2	4
9	March 25	4	—	4	4	—
10	April 25	—	4	4	—	4
11	May 1925	4	2	6	5	1
12	June 1925	1	1	2	1	1
	Total	2	18	20	19	1

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Statement showing the number of cases, pending received and disposed of every month during the year 1924-25.

Bench Magistrate Court Tirukoilur

Sworn 1.9.1925.

Sl no.	Month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Total	No disposed of during the month	Pending at the close of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	September 24	—	19	19	10	9
2	October 24.	9	6	15	5	10
3	November 24.	10	2	12	10	2
4	December 24.	2	4	6	1	5
5	January 25	5	3	8	8	—
6	February 25	—	4	4	2	2
7	March 25	2	7	9	2	7
8	April 25	7	3	10	6	4
9	May 25	4	5	9	6	3
10	June 25	3	3	6	4	2
	Total	~~12~~ —	56	~~68~~ 56	54	~~14~~ 2

Abstract for the year 1924-25

Total receipts 56.

disposal 54

Balance 2.

out of 54 disposed of 12 cases were transferred to the Sub Court —

V. Venkatarama Iyer
Chairman

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Office of the District Magistrate,
Kadur District.

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Chikmagalur, dated 28th October 1925.

No 95-25-7

G.R.Heblikar, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE
KADUR DISTRICT.

To

B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-law,
SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,
Local and Legislative Departments,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.P.1353-9/Cts. dated the 2nd September 1925 calling for my opinion about the abolition of the --- Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates' Courts are also located, together with statistics of cases disposed of by the Special and Bench Courts, I have the honor to forward herewith the statements received from the two Special Courts and two Bench Courts furnishing the required information.

2. The disposal of cases in the Courts concerned was as follows:

(1) Special First Class Magistrate, Chikmagalur, 367,
(2) Special Second Class Magistrate's Court, Tarikere .. 222,
(3) Special Bench Court, Chikmagalur, ... 179,
(4) Bench Court, Tarikere, ... 34.

3. By the abolition of the 2 Bench Courts, the work of the --- Special Courts will increase and as a result the disposals will not be speedy.

Further, the number of cases tried by the Bench Court at --- Chikmagalur is so large that it will not be possible for the 1st Class Magistrate to take up the work now done by the Bench Court.

4. In view of the small number of cases tried by the Bench --

Court

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Court at Tarikere, it may be conveniently abolished and the work entrusted to the stipendiary Magistrate,

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From

The District Magistrate,
Kadur District.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Treasury Asst.Commissioner
for District Magistrate,
Kadur District,
(on casual leave).

To

The Secretary to
the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated

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General No.

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Enclosure No.

SUBJECT.

Statement showing the number of criminal cases filed, disposed of and pending every month during the ~~month~~ year 1924-25 in the court of the Special 1st class Magistrate of Chikmagalur.

S. No.	Months	Kind of cases	Number pending from last month	Number filed during the month	Total	Number disposed of during the month	Remaining number pending
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	July 1924	1. Criminal cases	6	25	31	14	17
		2. Miscellaneous cases	12	17	29	14	15
		3. Appeals	-	3	3	2	1
		Total	18	45	63	30	33
2	August 1924	1. Criminal cases	17	15	32	19	13
		2. Miscellaneous cases	15	18	33	12	21
		3. Appeals	1	2	3	2	1
		Total	33	35	68	33	35
3	September 1924	1. Criminal cases	13	9	22	11	11
		2. Miscellaneous cases	21	19	40	28	12
		3. Appeals	1	-	1	1	-
		Total	35	28	63	40	23
4	October 1924	1. Criminal cases	11	8	19	5	14
		2. Miscellaneous cases	12	15	27	15	12
		3. Appeals	-	5	5	4	1
		Total	23	28	51	24	27
5	November 1924	1. Criminal cases	14	11	25	15	10
		2. Miscellaneous cases	12	21	33	15	18
		3. Appeals	1	2	3	3	-
		Total	27	34	61	33	28
6	December 1924	1. Criminal cases	10	9	19	10	9
		2. Miscellaneous cases	18	18	36	23	13

		4 Total.	28	30	58	33	25
7	January 1925	1. Criminal Cases.	9	11	20	11	9
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	13	22	35	10	25
		3. Appeals.	3	1	4	3	1
		Total.	25	34	59	24	35
8	February 1925.	1. Criminal Cases.	9	15	24	11	13
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	25	16	41	27	14
		3. Appeals.	1	1	2	2	-
		Total.	35	32	67	40	27
9	March 1925.	1. Criminal Cases.	13	10	23	18	5
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	14	14	28	14	14
		3. Appeals.	-	2	2	-	2
		Total.	27	26	53	32	21
10	April 1925.	1. Criminal Cases.	5	15	20	7	13
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	14	1	15	14	1
		3. Appeals.	2	1	3	3	-
		Total.	21	17	38	24	14
11	May 1925	1. Criminal Cases.	13	10	23	12	11
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	1	10	11	11	-
		3. Appeals.	-	1	1	1	-
		Total.	14	21	35	24	11
12	June 1925.	1. Criminal Cases.	11	7	18	14	4
		2. Miscellaneous Cases.	-	5	5	4	1
		3. Appeals.	-	4	4	2	2
		Total.	11	16	27	20	7
		Grand Total) Criminal	6	145	151	147	4
		Miscellaneous	12	176	188	187	1
		Appeals	-	25	25	23	2
		Total	18	346	364	357	7

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Dated Chitkara Pa Lem
12th September 1925

W Nanyamuso Wanyonyi
Special District Commissioner
Chitkara Pa Lem

Statement showing the number of cases rec
year 1924-25 in the Court of the Bench of magi

Serial No.	Names of months	No. of Cases pending at the beginning of the month	No. of Cases received during the month	No. of C... d...
1	July 1924	64	18	
2	August 1924	57	10	
3	September 1924	48	11	
4	October 1924	51	8	
5	November 1924	48	8	
6	December 1924	35	6	
7	January 1925	22	15	
8	February 1925	35	13	
9	March 1925	44	15	
10	April 1925	41	8	
11	May 1925	37	14	
12	June 1925	21	16	

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Dated 14-9-25
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ived, disposed of and pending every month during the
trates, Chicacole. 33

of cases disposed of during the month.	number pending at the end of the month.	Remarks
25	57	
19	48.	
8	51	
11	48	
21	35	
19	22	
2	35	
4	44	
18	41	
12	37	
30	21	
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rict magistrate, Kadur District with reference
dated the 8th September 1925.

C. P. Basavayya

Chairman & magistrate,
Bench courts

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CASES PENDING, FILED AND DISPOSED OF DURING THE YEAR 1924-25 IN THE COURT OF THE SPECIAL SECOND CLASS MAGISTRATE, TARIKERE.

Month.	Number pending from last month.		Number filed during the month.		Number disposed of during the month.		Number pending at the end of the month.	
1924.	Regular.	Mis.	R.	Mis.	R.	Mis.	R.	Mis.
JULY	68	13	9	-	15	8	62	5
AUGUST	62	5	20	4	15	1	67	8
SEPTEMBER	67	8	29	-	42	7	54	1
OCTOBER	54	1	17	1	22	-	49	2
NOVEMBER	49	2	10	-	14	1	45	1
DECEMBER	45	1	11	1	9	-	47	1
1925.								
JANUARY	47	1	22	1	7	1	62	2
FEBRUARY	62	2	14	-	12	-	64	2
MARCH	64	2	25	-	16	1	73	1
APRIL	73	1	13	1	16	-	70	2
MAY	70	2	24	-	14	1	80	1
JUNE	80	1	16	-	19	1	77	-
			210	8	201	21	77	-

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Submitted to the District Magistrate, Kadur District, with refernce to his No. J.C. 30/25-26 dated 8th September 1925.

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Special Second Class Magistrate,

TARIKERE.

1	January	10	1	11	4	7	
2	August	7	2	9	2	7	
3	September	7	2	9	7	2	
4	October	2	1	3	—	3	
5	November	3	1	4	—	4	
6	December	4	2	6	1	5	
7	January	5	8	13	4	9	
8	February	9	7	16	6	10	
9	March	10	1	11	—	11	
10	April	11	4	15	—	15	
11	May	15	2	17	7	10	
12	June	10	1	11	3	8	
	Total	10	32	42	34	8	

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Dated Mysore, the 5th November 192 5

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FROM

A.V.Ramanathan, Esquire, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District,
District Magistrate
Mysore.

To

B.Nagappa, Esquire, Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.
(Local and Legislative Departments)

SIR,

In reply to your letter No. P. 1353-9/Cls of the 22nd instant,, enquiring whether the Bench Courts located in the places where the Special Magistrate's Courts are also located may be abolished, I have the honor to state that the Bench Courts at Mandya, French Rocks and Hunsur may be abolished.

A statement of cases received and disposed of during the year 1924-25 is enclosed as desired.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

District Magistrate
For Deputy Commissioner.
Mysore District.

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From

THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
MYSORE DISTRICT,
MYSORE.

To

THE SECRETARY
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
BANGALORE.
'Local and Legislative Depts'

Dated, Mysore the [illegible] November 1925

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General No. [illegible]
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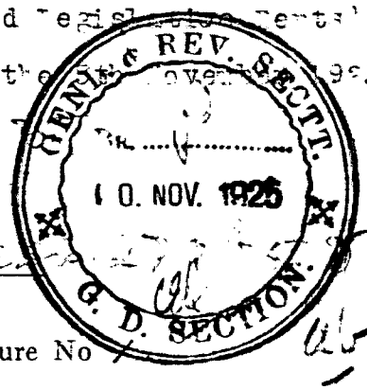
Enclosure No 1



States that the Bench Courts at Nandya, French Rocks and Kunsur may be abolished.

received, pending and disposed of in the

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Bench Court Mysore			Special Magistrate Nanjangud				Bench Court Nanjangud				Special Magistrate Hunsur				Bench Court Hunsur				Special Magistrate Mysore.				Bench Court Mysore			
Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of the month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month
4	4	6	119	13	1	131	11	4	6	9	72	5	39	38	4	5	6	3	92	24	20	96	7	39	23	23
1	3	4	131	22	14	139	9	5	4	10	38	33	29	42	3	5	3	5	96	18	20	94	23	35	38	20
5	1	8	139	28	25	142	10	5	5	10	42	32	29	45	5	5	5	5	94	22	25	91	20	40	26	34
7	1	14	142	24	36	130	10	7	4	13	45	16	13	48	5	12	3	14	91	17	16	92	34	32	21	46
5	5	14	130	21	42	109	13	2	6	9	48	22	28	42	14	7	14	7	92	17	11	98	46	26	27	44
4	5	13	109	25	32	98	9	4	5	8	42	13	22	33	7	9	8	8	98	14	20	92	44	49	34	59
-	1	12	98	33	25	106	8	4	3	9	33	18	13	38	8	15	8	15	92	23	21	94	59	58	50	67
-	2	10	106	28	29	105	9	2	5	6	38	25	25	38	15	12	14	13	94	16	25	85	67	30	45	53
4	-	14	105	25	41	89	6	1	1	6	38	11	24	25	13	5	6	12	85	9	6	88	52	60	44	68
3	3	14	89	28	22	95	6	6	4	8	25	14	18	21	12	3	7	8	88	23	9	102	68	50	62	56
1	7	8	95	34	39	90	8	4	5	7	21	21	2	12	8	15	5	18	102	18	16	104	56	63	50	59
2	5	5	90	19	40	69	7	7	5	9	21	22	11	32	18	4	3	19	104	19	21	102	59	32	61	30
		69				9				32				19					102			30				

Yours

District Magistrate

Mysore

Statement showing the No. of Cases
Courts during the year 1924

Year and month	Special Magistrate's Court Nandya				Bench Court Nandya				Special Magistrate Tranchinopoly				Bench Court
	Pending at the beginning of each month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of each month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of each month	Received during the month	Disposed of	Pending at the end of the month	Pending at the beginning of each month
July 1924	42	19	29	32	15	2	9	8	34	15	19	30	6
August 1924	32	23	15	40	8	4	4	8	30	17	15	32	6
September 1924	40	32	29	43	8	8	9	7	32	21	10	43	4
October 1924	43	17	14	46	7	24	18	13	43	14	12	45	8
November 1924	46	13	18	41	13	9	13	9	45	26	22	49	14
December 1924	41	17	18	40	9	4	7	6	49	11	29	31	14
January 1925	40	16	17	39	6	11	7	10	31	7	12	26	13
February 1925	39	6	16	29	10	12	3	19	26	3	6	23	12
March 1925	29	13	11	31	19	18	4	33	23	12	13	22	10
April 1925	31	24	17	38	33	3	24	12	22	11	3	30	14
May 1925	38	16	23	31	12	13	15	10	30	16	9	37	14
June 1925	31	16	20	27	10	2	8	4	37	10	23	24	8
Pending at the beginning of 1925-26	27				4				24				5

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1925-1926.

Office of the District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.
Dated Tumkur the, 18th November 1925.

From,

K. V. Anantaraman, Esquire, B.A.,
District Magistrate, Tumkur District.
T U M K U R.

To

B. Nagappa, Esquire, Bar-at-Law,
Secretary to the Govt: of H.H. the Maharaja of
Mysore, Local & Legislative Departments,
B A N G A L O R E.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. P. 1353-9/Cts dated 2nd September 1925, I have the honor to forward herewith a statement - showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month during the year 1924-1925, in each of the Special Magistrates' Courts in this District as well as the Bench Courts situated in the same places.

With regard to the question of abolishing the Bench Courts, I am of opinion that the present system of having Bench Magistrates in all the Taluk Head Quarters is sound and may be continued. There are, no doubt, complaints received about the working of these courts but this is nothing more than what happens whenever a new institution comes into work. As the people get accustomed to these Courts and - the Magistrates pick up experience, I feel certain that the system - will fully justify the anticipations formed of their working. The suggestion to abolish the courts in the places where there are Special Magistrates' Courts should not be adopted as it is precisely these -- Courts which are now working fairly well. The places where the Special Magistrates' Courts are situated are generally the most important towns in the District where men of education and standing are available. If the Courts at such places are abolished and only the Courts at the - smaller towns, where the Magistrates are men of very poor education, are

continued

continued we shall be continuing the inefficient Courts.

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant.

District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.

AD. 18/11.

Name of the month	Opening balance	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of	Pending	Name of the month	Opening balance	Received	Disposed of	Pending
		Special I class magistrate. Regular Cases						Irular Appeals		
July 1924										
August "										
September										
October "		47	47	1	46	October	—	14		14
November "	46	6	52	16	36	November	14	4	18 3	15
December "	36	5	41	10	31	December	15	—	15 9	6
January 25	31	19	50	14	36	January 25	6	3	9 3	6
February "	36	62	98	12	86	February	6	1	7 4	3
March "	86	6	92	19	73	March	3	2	5 3	2
April "	73	10	83	19	64	April	2	1	3 2	1
May "	64	11	75	25	50	May	1	4	5 2	3
June "	50	7	57	12	45	June	3	5	8 1	7
		173		128	45			34	27	7

S. Nanjappa Rao
For District Magistrate
Or

Statement showing the Nos of criminal Cases received & disposed of and pending every month during the year 1924-25 in each of the Special magistrate Courts in the District as well as the Bench Courts situated in the same places

Name of the month	Opening balance	Receive	Total	Disposed of	Pending
Special II class magistrate Maddagiri					
July 24	—	—	—	—	—
August 24	—	—	—	—	—
September	—	—	—	—	—
October	—	116	116	10	106
November	106	18	124	25	99
December	99	17	116	35	81
January 25	81	19	100	19	81
February "	81	13	94	30	64
March "	64	4	68	30	38
April "	38	11	49	16	33
May "	33	24	57	26	31
June 25	31	10	41	16	25
	Total	232		207	25
Special II class magistrate Tiptur					
July 1924	—	—	—	—	—
August "	—	—	—	—	—
September "	—	—	—	—	—
October "	—	104	104	9	95
November "	95	24	119	22	97
December					

Name of the month	Opening balance	Received during the month	Total	Disposed of	Pending
Bench magistrate Court Maddagiri					
July 1924					
August "					
September "					
October "	—	3	3	1	2
November	2	7	9	7	2
December	2	10	12	2	10
January 1925	10	14	24	11	13
February "	13	4	17	7	10
March "	10	8	18	5	13
April "	13	1	14	6	8
May "	8	8	16	6	10
June "	10	7	17	7	10
	Total	62		52	10
Bench magistrate Court Tiptur					
July 1924					
August "					
September "					
October "		9	12	—	24
November "	24	12	36	9	27
December					

January 25	99	11	110	26	84
February "	84	13	97	18	79
March "	79	10	89	31	58
April "	58	4	62	23	39
May "	39	9	48	20	28
June "	28	12	40	14	26
	Total	202		176	26

Special II class magistrate, Trunkan

July 1924	—	—	—	—	—
August "	—	—	—	—	—
September "	—	—	—	—	—
October "	—	102	102	10	92
November "	92	101	193	24	169
December "	169	23	192	31	161
January 25	161	19	180	29	151
February "	151	13	164	28	136
March "	136	17	153	24	129
April "	129	12	141	22	119
May "	119	16	135	35	100
June "	100	14	114	18	96
	Total	317		221	96

January 25	30	4	34	2	32
February "	32	3	35	8	27
March "	27	4	31	4	27
April "	27	3	30	2	28
May "	28	5	33	4	29
June 25	29	5	34	4	30
		Total 74		44	30

Bench Court, Trunkan

July 1924	5	1	6	2	4
August "	4	35	39	3	36
September "	36	1	37	5	32
October "	32	3	35	4	31
November "	31	4	35	2	33
December "	33	5	38	3	35
January 1925	35	2	37	3	34
February "	34	2	36	2	34
March "	34	4	38	3	35
April "	35	3	38	13	25
May "	25	4	29	6	23
June 25	23	4	27	5	22
	Total	68+5 = 73		51	22

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Seria No. 10

No. 12802

To The Secretary, Board of Revenue

Sir

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue..... 7/12/25

Signed by..... M. Ceag

I am directed to state that a suggestion has been made about the abolition of Bench courts in places where the special magistrates' Courts are also located and such special magistrates' Courts have not enough work. I am to request you to favour this office with your opinion in the matter in respect of the courts in your Dt. A Statement showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending every month so far in the Special magistrates

List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

Examined by.....

WD 0562—GPB—31,000—17-8-25

Courts and the Bench courts
situated in the same places
may kindly be obtained and
forwarded with your reply

Yours etc

P 3394 Judl No 95-25-11

The Registrar, Chief Court.

Sir,

A representation ~~having been~~ has also been made at the last Birthday Session of the Representative Assembly ~~of 1925~~ for the abolition of Bench Courts in places where Special Magistrates' Courts are also located and ~~such special Magistrates Courts have not enough work~~ the work therein is light. Government promised to consider the question and called for the opinion of the District Magistrates in the matter ~~From~~ After a perusal of the reports of the District Magistrates noted in the margin (which are sent herewith in original with their enclosures for reference and return) Govt. are ~~of opinion~~ consider that the Bench Courts in the following places, the Special magistrates stationed at which have not got sufficient work, may be abolished or suspended temporarily until further orders:—

1. Hassan Dist. —— (1) Holenarasipur.
2. Kolar Dist. —— (2) Saklespur. Kolar and Bangalore
3) Shimoga Dist. (1) Sagar (2) Tirthahalli.
4) Kadur Dist. —— Tarikere.
5) Mysore Dist.- (1) Mandya (2) French Rocks (3) Hunsur.
6) Tumkur Dist. (1) Maddagiri (2) Tiptur.

I am to request you to kindly favour Govt. with the opinion of the Chief Court on the above proposals.

I have etc.,

for Secy. to Govt. L.L.Depts.

1. Letter No.426 dated 16-9-25 from D.M.Bangalore
2. " Jl.118-25 d.24-9-25 from D.M.Hassan
3. " JC98 8-10-25 from D.M.Kolar
4. " JC.147 dated 17-10-25 from D.M.Shimoga
5. " JC.30 dated 28-10-25 from D.M.Kadur
6. PlDis.279 dated 9-11-25 from Mysore
7. No.235 dated 18-11-25 from D.M.Tumkur

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Section C6

File No. 95-25

Seria No. 12

No. 35730 (1)

To The Regr. Hqrs. Court

Sir

I am directed to forward herewith for such action as the Hqrs. Court may consider suitable in consultation with the D. M. Kadur. The accompanying Cutting from the Wealth of Mysore of 12.1.1926 supporting the abolition of the Bench Court-which matter

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Signed by M Essa

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.
Dated, Mysore, 21st January 1926.

From

A.V. Ramanathan, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

To

B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Local & Legislative Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No. D 2 Dis.279 dated 6-11-1925 regarding the abolition of Bench Courts at places where there are Special Magistrates' Courts, I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of Chief Court's docket No. 837/25-26 dated 13th January 1926 opining that in view of the fact that the special 2nd class Magistrate, Hunsur has not sufficient work, the Bench Court at that place may be abolished and its work added on to the Special Magistrate and to request that orders of Government may be obtained early in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

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Copy of letter No. 837/25-26 dated 13th January 1926 from the Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore, to the District Magistrate, Mysore District.

Has the honor to invite referene to his letter No. Dl. Dis. 279 dated the 9th November 1925, to Government, and to request to be informed early whether in view of the fact that the Special 2nd Class Magistrate, Hunsur, had nearly 242 cases on his file during 1924-25, out of which only 17 were first class cases (vide statement submitted to Chief Court with his letter No. C. 455/125 J. dated the 4th November 1925), the Bench Court at that place may be abolished and its work added on to the Special Magistrate.

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For District Magistrate,
Mysore District.

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Telgm: "JUSTICE"

CHIEF COURT OF MYSORE,
Public Office Buildings, Cubbon Park,

Bangalore....26th Feb.....*1926*

R. O. C. Dis. No. 837/25-26

Encl: one file

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A. Sreenivasaragavachari, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore.

B. NAGAPPA, Esq., Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative
epartments,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.P.3394/Cts.95-25-11 dated 9th January 1926 - requesting to be furnished with the opinion of the Chief Court in regard to the abolition or suspension until further orders of Bench Courts in certain places where Special Magistrates' Courts are also located. In reply I am to state that the Chief Court has no objection to the Bench Courts in question being abolished and their work done by stipendiary Magistrates.

In this connection I am to invite attention to - your letter No.P.3573/Cts.95-25-12 dated 20th January - 1926 forwarding for suitable action a cutting from the - Wealth of Mysore dated 12th January 1926 suggesting the abolition of the Bench Court at Chikmagalur. The District Magistrate of Chikmagalur who was consulted in - the matter has referred this Court to his letter No.J.C. 30/25-26 dated 27/28th October 1925 addressed to you, - wherein he is not in favour of abolishing the Bench - Court at Chikmagalur on the ground that the Special - First Class Magistrate will have excessive work. I am, however, to observe that the District Magistrate

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appears to be in error in thinking that the Special First Class Magistrate cannot easily take on this extra work as there is not adequate work for the Special Magistrate as matters stand at present. A further opinion as regards this point will be forwarded after the Chief Judge's inspection, early next month, of the Special First Class Magistrate's Court, Chikmagalur. The enclosures are herewith returned.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

REGISTRAR. 26/2/15

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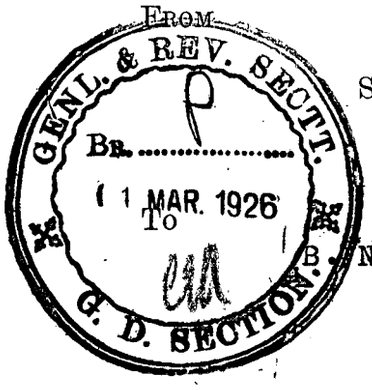
Tel: Address:—Dismag, CHITALDRUG.

In reply, please refer to No. 12A/25-26
Enclosures. one.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT. 51
Dated Chitaldrug, 9th March 1926.



FROM
S. VENKATRANGAM, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug District.

To
B. Nagappa Esquire Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Local and Legislative Departments,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No.P. 2802/Cts.95-25-10 dated 7th December 1925 calling for my opinion in the matter of the abolition of Bench courts in places where Special Magistrates' courts are also located &c., I have the honor to forward herewith a statement showing the number of cases received, disposed of and pending month by month so far in the Special Magistrates' Courts and the Bench courts situated at Chitaldrug and Davangere and to state that on the establishment of Special Magistrates' courts at the two places on 1st October 1925 as sanctioned in Government order No.P.287-300/Cts. 275-24-5 dated 21st July 1925, all the 1st, 2nd and 3rd class cases (excepting such 3rd class cases as could be tried by Bench courts) pending in the several courts of the District at the end of September 1925 were transferred to the New Special Courts. As already reported in my letter No.C.J.108/25-26 dated 8th February 1926 to the Chief Court, a copy of which was also submitted to Government the same day, the figures furnished indicate that none of the Special Magistrates' courts has sufficient work at present. Mr. S.P.Rajagopalachari B.A., B.L., who was on special duty in connection with the introduction of the separation scheme in this State arrived at the following standards of disposal as normal figures to be taken for purposes of calculation:-

Cases to be disposed of by a 1st class Magistrate ordinarily.	200 first class cases & 100 Criminal appeals.
=======Do======= by a 2nd class Magistrate.	600 cases.

The total number of cases received in all the three Special

courts and the Bench courts at Chitaldrug and Davangere during the five months since 1st October 1925 (inclusive of those that were pending at the commencement of the period) thus comes to 493 and making due allowance for cases to be received during the additional 7 months to make up one year, the total number of cases to be dealt with by all the five courts in one year does not appear to be likely to exceed 1200. In these circumstances, there cannot be any objection to the abolition of the Bench Courts at Davangere and Chitaldrug in case it is decided to continue all the three Special Courts now sanctioned for this District. But as stated in my letter No.C.J. 108/25-26 dated 8th February 1926 to the Chief Court cited above, it would probably be desirable to abolish one of the Special courts in the District and to have only two such courts at Chitaldrug and Davangere respectively, both of them exercising 1st, 2nd and 3rd class jurisdiction (except in such cases as can be dealt with by Bench courts) and if this suggestion should eventually be approved, the Bench courts may have to be continued both at Chitaldrug and Davangere so far as this District is concerned. Therefore I am of opinion that it is now too early to decide on the abolition of the Bench courts at Chitaldrug and Davangere and that the whole position may be reviewed and a final settlement reached only after the existing system is tried for about one year.

I have the honor to be,

S I R,

Your most obedient servant,

G Narayan Rao

District Magistrate,

Chitaldrug District.

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Statement showing the number of Criminal cases in the special magistrate courts and Bench district from 1st October 1925 to the end of Dec

Name of courts	October			November			Dece	
	Received	Disposed of	Pending	Received	Disposed of	Pending	Received	Disp
Special 1st Class magistrate court Chitaldroog	96	13	83	21	34	70	13	15
Special 2nd Class magistrate's court Chitaldroog	58	21	37	15	24	31	10	1
-do- Davangere	75	7	68	12	24	56	14	19
Bench Court Davangere	35	9	26	4	2	28	7	4
-do- Chitaldroog	11	6	5	3	-	8	4	3

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Cases received, disposed of and pending month by month-
courts at Chitradroog and Davangere in the Chitradroog
ruary 1926

ember		January			February			Total			Remarks
	Pending	Received	Disposed of	Pending	Received	Disposed of	Pending	Received	Disposed of	Pending	
	68	18	12	74	17	24	67	165	98	67	
	25	14	14	25	8	12	21	105	84	21	
	51	15	31	35	16	16	35	132	97	35	
	31	5	19	17	9	6	20	60	40	20	
	9	5	7	7	8	5	10	31	21	10	

K Nanjundappa
District magistrate
& Chitradroog District

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Proceedings of the Govt.of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Cts 95-25-15

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A G.O.No.J.4550-4600/Cts. 312-12-1 dated 10-5-1918 directing among other things the establishment of Bench Courts in places where it may be possible to constitute such Courts under the Separation Scheme.

Y 2. G.O.No.G.6583-95/Cts.213-17-18 dated 28-9-1918 constituting Bench Courts among other courts, at Sagar and Tirthahalli ~~as a consequence of~~ in connection with the introduction of the Separation Scheme in Bangalore and Shimoga Districts as per G.O.No.G.7962-69/Cts. 27-18-3 dated 1-11-18

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B 3. G.O.No.G.13546-58/Cts.42-19-5 dated 10-2-1919 constituting Bench Courts among others at Mandya, French Rocks and Hunsur and Tarikere ~~as a consequence of~~ in connection with the introduction of the separation scheme in Mysore and Kadur Districts as per G.O.No. G.27798-805/Cts. 157-18-2 dated 12-6-1919.

D 4. G.O.No.G.18547/Cts.260-18-8 dated 12-2-1920 sanctioning the constitution of a Bench Court at Holenarasipur.

7 5. G.O.No.No.P.15-27/Cts.96-23-8 dated 24-10-1923 constituting Bench Courts among others at Kolar and Chickballapur ~~as a consequence of~~ in connection with the extension of the separation scheme in Kolar District as per G.O.No.2040-52/Cts. 21-22-7 dated 5th October 1923.

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6. G.O.No.P. 371-85/Cts.25-24-6 dated 26-7-1924 sanctioning the constitution of Bench Courts among others at Saklespur ~~as a consequence of~~ in connection with the introduction of the separation Scheme in Hassan District as per G.O.No.P.710-26/Cts.209-22-19 dated 16-8-24.

7. G.O.No.P.1558-72/Cts.56-24-2 dated 23-9-1924 sanctioning the constitution of Bench Courts at Maddagiri and Tiptur ~~as a consequence of~~ at the time of the introduction of the Separation Scheme in Tumkur District as per G.O.No.P.1106-19/Cts.37-24-5 dated 29-8-1924.

8. R.A.Subject No.7 of Birthday Session of 1925 re. the abolition of Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates Courts are also located and where there is not sufficient work for either.

D.M.B'lore letter No.426 dated 16-9-25.
" Hassan. C.C.118 d.24-9-25
" Kolar. 98 d. 8-10-25
" Shimoga 147 d. 17-10-25
" Madur 30 d. 28-10-25
" Mysore. 279 d. 9-11-25
" Tumkur. 235 d. 18-11-25
" Chitaldrug 12 A.25-26 d. 9-3-1926.

9. Correspondence ending with letters as noted in the margin from the Dist. Magistrates of Districts.

10. Correspondence ending with letter No. R.O.C.837 dated 26-2-1926 from the Registrar, Chief Court in the matter.

O r d e r, No. P 4582-92 Cy 95.25.15

Dated, Bangalore the, 24/3/26

1. As the Separation Scheme was extended to Districts, Bench Courts were established in every Taluk and Sub Taluk head quarter town in order to obviate, to some extent, the inconvenience and trouble to which the parties ~~will~~ would be put ~~to~~, by travelling long distances to the Special Magistrates' Courts. A representation having been made in the

Birthday Session of R.A. of 1925, that where both the Special Magistrate's Courts and the Bench Courts are located in one and the same place and both the courts have not sufficient work, the Bench Courts may be abolished, ~~Government~~ the matter investigated ~~the matter~~ in consultation with the District Magistrates ~~of~~ and the Chief Court and ~~find that in the marginally noted~~ places where courts of Special magistrates and Bench Magistrates are located, ~~both the Special Magistrate and the Bench Court have not sufficient work.~~ ~~At Thirthahalli also~~ the Bench Magistrate's court ~~is stated~~ not ~~to~~ have sufficient work. Government consider ~~that~~ it ~~is~~ unnecessary to continue the courts of Bench magistrates in ~~those~~ places, ~~where as even~~ the Special Magistrates have not sufficient work.

Hassan Dt.	Holenarasipur and Saklespur.
Kolar "	Kolar & Chikballapur.
Kadur "	Tarikere.
Mysore"	Mandya French Rocks Hunsur.
Tumkur"	Maddagiri- Tiptur.
Shimoga	Sagar.

2. The absence of these Bench Courts will not inconvenience the parties, for the cases triable by them will be tried by the courts of Special Magistrates, located in the same place. With regard to Thirthahalli also, the parties will not by the removal of the Bench Court, be inconvenienced as the itinerary magistrate will in future try the cases hither to triable by the Bench Courts.

2. Government ~~are~~ therefore direct that the courts of Bench Magistrates mentioned below ~~will~~ be abolished with effect from:-

1st April 1926.

1. Hassan Dt. Hole-Narasipur.
   Saklespur.

2. Kolar Dt. Kolar
   Chikballapur

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3.	Kadur Dt.	Tarikere.
4.	Mysore Dt.	Mandya French Rocks. Nunsur.
5.	Tumkur.	Maddagiri. Tiptur.
6.	Shimoga Dt.	Sagar - Tirthahalli.

3 The Special Magistrates will, from that date take cognizance, ~~within their jurisdiction,~~ of all classes of cases arising within their jurisdiction and hitherto tried by the Bench Courts hereby abolished.

4. The District Magistrates concerned will arrange to transfer the cases pending on the files of the Bench Courts to the Special Magistrates in their respective jurisdiction.

5 A separate notification will issue withdrawing the powers of the Honorary magistrates of these Bench courts.

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Secretary to Government,
Local & Legis.Depts.

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The District Magistrate, Hassan.
The Dist. Magistrates of other Dts.
The Registrar, Chief Court.
The Inspector General of Police.
The Revenue Commissioner.

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Government of his highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. P. 4582-92—Cts. 95-25-16, dated 24th March 1926.

Abolition of Bench Courts.

Directs the —— in certain places where Special Magistrates' Courts are also located.

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Government Order No. J. 4550-4600—Cts. 312-12-1, dated 10th May 1918, directing among other things the establishment of Bench Courts in places where it may be possible to constitute such courts under the Separation Scheme.

2. Government Order No. G. 6583-95—Cts. 213-17-18, dated 28th September 1918, constituting Bench Courts among other courts, at Sagar and Tirthahalli, in connection with the introduction of the Separation Scheme in Bangalore and Shimoga Districts as per Government Order No. G. 7962-69—Cts. 27-18-3, dated 1st November 1918.

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6. Government Order No. P. 371-85—Cts. 25-24-6, dated 26th July 1924, sanctioning the constitution of Bench Courts among others at Saklespur in connection with the introduction of the Separation Scheme in Hassan District as per Government Order No. P. 710-26—Cts. 209-22-19, dated 16th August 1924.

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8. Representative Assembly Subject No. 7 of Birthday Session of 1925, *re* the abolition of Bench Courts in places where the Special Magistrates' Courts are also located and where there is not sufficient work for either.

9. Correspondence ending with letters as noted below from the District Magistrates of Districts.

District Magistrate,	Bangalore,	letter No. 426,	dated	16th September 1925.
Do	Hassan	J. C. 118,	„	24th September 1925.
Do	Kolar	98,	„	8th October 1925.
Do	Shimoga	147,	„	17th October 1925.
Do	Kadur	30,	„	28th October 1925.
Do	Mysore	279,	„	9th November 1925.
Do	Tumkur	235,	„	18th November 1925.
Do	Chitaldrug	12 A. 25-26,	„	9th March 1926.

No. P. 4582-92—Cts. 95-25-16, dated 24th March 1926.

10. Correspondence ending with letter No. R. O. C. 837, dated 26th February 1926, from the Registrar, Chief Court in the matter.

Order No. P. 4582-92—Cts. 95-25-16, dated 24th March 1926.

As the Separation Scheme was extended to Districts, Bench Courts were established in every Taluk and Sub-Taluk headquarter town in order to obviate, to some extent, the inconvenience and trouble to which the parties would be put by travelling long distances to the Special Magistrates' Courts. A representation having been made in the Birthday Session of the Representative Assembly of 1925, that where both the Special Magistrates' Courts and the Bench Courts are located in one and the same place and both the courts have not sufficient work, the Bench Courts may be abolished, the matter was investigated in consultation with the District Magistrates and the Chief Court. From the reports received from the District Magistrates, it is found that in the marginally noted places where courts of Special Magistrates and Bench Courts are located, there is not sufficient work for both classes of courts and that at Tirthahalli also where the Special Magistrate's Court of Shimoga holds court for about a week every month, the Bench Magistrate's Court has not got sufficient work. In the circumstances, Government consider it unnecessary to continue the courts of Bench Magistrates in the above mentioned places as the Special Magistrates who have not sufficient work can easily attend also to the work done by the Bench Courts.

Hassan	District	Hole-Narsipur and Saklespur.
Kolar	,,	Kolar and Chikballapur.
Kadur	,,	Tarikere.
Mysore	,,	Mandya, French Rocks and Munsur.
Tumkur	,,	Maddagiri and Tiptur.
Shimoga	,,	Sagar.

2. Government therefore direct that the courts of Bench Magistrates mentioned below be abolished with effect from the 1st April 1926.:—

1.	Hassan District	Hole-Narsipur Saklespur
2.	Kolar District	Kolar Chikballapur
3.	Kadur	Tarikere
4.	Mysore District	Mandya French Rocks Hunsur
5.	Tumkur District	Maddagiri Tiptur
6.	Shimoga District	Sagar Tirthahalli

3. The Special Magistrates will, from that date, take congizance of all classes of cases arising within their jurisdiction and hitherto tried by the Bench Courts hereby abolished. The District Magistrates concerned will arrange to transfer the cases pending on the files of the Bench Courts to the Special Magistrates in their respective jurisdiction.

4. A separate notification will issue withdrawing the powers of the Honorary Bench Magistrates of these Bench Courts.

B. NAGAPPA,
Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative Departments.

To—The District Magistrate, Hassan.
The District Magistrates of other Districts.
The Registrar, Chief Court.
The Inspector-General of Police.
The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

Exd.—P. S. R. N.

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Notification.

Government direct that the under-mentioned Bench Courts be abolished with effect from 1st April 1926.

1. Hassan Dt.	Hole-Narsipur. Saklespur
2. Kolar District.	Kolar Chikballapur.
3. Kadur District.	Tarikere
4. Mysore Dt.	Mandya French Rocks. Hunsur.
5. Tumkur	Maddagiri Tiptur
6. Shimoga District.	Sagar Thirthahalli.

(2) Under section 41 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1904, the Third Class powers conferred on the under-mentioned Honorary Bench Magistrates of Bench courts of the respective Taluks noted against their names are hereby withdrawn.

Hole-Narsipur.

1. Mr. Anantaramaiengar
2. " Venkataramaiya
3. " Setumadhavachar
4. " Narasimhaiya
5. " Koneri Venkatadasappa Setti
6. " Madibeg
7. " Bale Venkatasamiah
8. " Agholayam Srinivasa Narasimhachar.
9. " Uddur Narasimhaiya.

Saklespur.

1. Mr. Some Gowda
2. " Shop Sidde Gowda
3. " H.Thimmappaiya
4. " Malali Venkataramaiya
5. " Bellur Dyavappa Gowda
6. " Bellur Nanje Gowda.
7. " Anemahal Basave Gowda
8. " Donegal Basave Gowda
9. " Bykere Venkataramaiya

Kolar.

1. Mr. Kalyan Singh.
2. " Mustafa Sab
3. " Khaji Oosman Sab
4. " K. Subramanya Iyer
5. Rev. H.F. Hilmer
6. " B. Moses.
7. Mr. Enock Khasim

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Kolar (contd.)

8. Mr. Gopala Naik
9. " Binnumalam Krishniah Setty
10 " Malur Sankaraiya

Chikballapur.

1. Mr. A.K.Venkatavaradachar.
22 " D. Venkatarayappa
3. " K.Ramanna
4. " Kanni Settappa
5. " C.V.Venkoba Rao
6. " Esuff Khan
7. " C. Basappa
8. C.C.Narasimhaiya
9. " Gundu Muni Venkatramaiya
10." Halagappa
11." K.Venkatasami Nett Chetty
12. " Syed Kasim.

Tarikere.

1.Mr. Syed Khaja Peeran
2. " Baba Sab
3. " B.Chendappa
4. " Hari Sankanna
5. " Mir Mahomed
6. " K.Somayya
7. " Amritapur Subba Rao
8. " Iralehalli Syed Gouse
9. " Nerlakere Subba Rao
10. " Doddamane Puttayya
11." Parameswarappa
12." Hanuma Boi.

Mandya.

1.Mr. Padmarajiah
2." Dharmappa
3." Karim Sab
4." Krishnajee Rao
5." M.D. Krishnaiengar
6. " Nagendraiya.
7." Anatharajaiya
8." Abdul Ali Sab.
9." Singla Char
10." Javali Basappa.

French Rocks.

1. Mr. Sidde Gowda
2. " Matesa Mudaliar.
3. " Ismail Khan
4. " Chik Nanjunda Setty
5. " Kadar Saib
6. " Rajabahadur Mudaliar.
7. " Abdul Rahiman
8. " P. Komari Gowda.
9. " M.Madhavaswami Naidu.

Hunsur.

1. Mr. Mahomed Hussain
2. " Sanjiva Setti
3. " Ramasetti
4. " Chandrasekhara Dikshit.
5. " S.L.Venkataramana Setty.
6. " H.R.T. Rajagopala Mudaliar.

Tumkur. Maddagiri.

1. Mr.

Maddagiri.

1. Mr. Saggare Sitaramiah
2. " P.Ramakrishniah
3. " N.Narasinga Rao
4. " Nanjiah Setti
5. " Sithramaiya Setty.
6. " Venkatachaliah Chetty
7. " H. Chik Rudrappa
8. "Chennmalliah
9. " Syed Hussein Sab
10." Bhaji Saheb
11." Julpi Sahib
12." P. Kappiah
13." Mallae Gowda
14. " Lakshminarasappa

Tiptur.

1.Mr. D. S. Mallappa
2. " M. Basappa
3. " Nanjesa Gowda
4. " Madihalli Basaviah
5. " T.Thimmannaiya
6. " M. Lakshmana Rao
7. " H.Channabhatta
8. " C.Bhaskaraiah
9. " B. Nanjundaiah
10." Singri Nanjappa
11." B.Siddoji Rao
12," T.T.M.Abdul Kareem
13." Abdul Rauf
14." Patcha Miya Sab
15." T. Ramnuja Setty.

Sagar.

1. Mr. Dalavai Basalingappa
2. " Yagiahana Veerabhadrappa
3." S.B.Venkatagiriappa
4. " C.Nagappa
5. " Babu Rao
6. " M.K.Abid Sheriff.
7. " Y.Veerabhadrappa
8. " D.K.Venkatagiri Rao
9. " H.Raghavendra Rao
10." K.Gundappa
11." K.SR ama Rao
12." K.V.Gundu Rao
13." M.Hashumiah

Tirthahalli.

1. Mr. Y. Seshappa
2. " Tudki Ramanna Gowda
3. " K. Dakappa
4. " Havali.Madhava Rao
5. " H.S.Venkatappa Gowda
6. " ~~Gopalachar~~ Gopalachar
7. " Hitayet Hussain
8. " Dharma Rao
9. " G.Ramakrishnappa
10." H.Rangappa
11.".P. Narasimhaiya
12." Y.Lingappa
13." D. Venkoba Rao

By Order,

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Secretary to Govt.
Local & Legis. Depts.

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CHIEF COURT OF MYSORE

Telegraphic Address. "JUSTICE"

Bangalore, dated 18th March 1926

NO. 2/25.27/25-26

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FROM

A. SREENIVASARAGAVACHARI, ESQ., B.,A., B.L.,
Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore.

To

B.Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Local and Legislative Departments,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No.R.O.C. 837 of 25-26 dated the 26th February 1926, furnishing the opinion of the Chief Court in regard to the abolition of certain Bench Courts as called for in your letter No.P.3394/Cts.95-25-11 dated the 9th January 1926, and stating that further opinion as regards the Bench Court at Chikmagalur will be forwarded after the Chief Judge's inspection of the Special First Grade Magistrate's Court, Chikmagalur, I am directed to state that though the special First Grade Magistrate, Chikmagalur, could quite easily dispose of all the work at present done by the Bench Magistrates, Chikmagalur, as he is a first class Magistrate, all appeals from his disposals of cases triable by 2nd and 3rd class Magistrates would lie only to the Sessions Judge, Shimoga. The Chief Court agree with the District Magistrate in thinking that that would be subjecting appellants to too great inconvenience and trouble.

Moreover when the District Magistrate was consulted on the subject, the Chief Judge was assured that Chikmaglur is particularly well supplied with competent men willing to work as Honorary Magistrates.

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In these circumstances the Chief Court agree with the District Magistrate that the Bench Court at Chikmaglur need not be abolished.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Registrar. 19/3/26.

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Signed by W Jos

To Messrs. Whitaldows

Sirs

With reference to your letter no 124/25-26 of 9-3-926 stating that the question of the abolition of the Bench courts at Whitaldows and Davanagere may be ~~continued~~ considered after watching the working of the Special Magistrates' courts in these places for about a year, I am directed to state that Govt agree with you and to request you to submit your opinion in the matter as early as possible ~~necessary proposals~~ for consideration in March next ~~in due course~~

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